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ATM COMMUNICATIONS DEVICE"

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## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.56, Applicants respectfully request that citation and examination of the following documents be made during the course of examination of the above-referenced application for United States Letters Patent.

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## EXPLANATION OF RELEVANCE

References AL, AM, AN and AR are cited for the reasons noted in the International Search Report, a copy of which is enclosed.

10 Copies of the above-cited references are enclosed for the Examiner's review.

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